A project is acceptable as an SAE until that product leaves the students control. For example: If a student owns an apple orchard and sells at a roadside stand, the student could also make apple pies and sell them in the family restaurant. However, if the student did not own the apple trees, then making apple pies would not be considered an acceptable project.

Acceptable Entrepreneurship SAE’s:
- Agriscience Fair (outside of class)
- Agricultural Mechanics
- Aquaculture
- Bees
- Breeding and Market Beef
- Breeding and Market Goats
- Breeding and Riding Horses
- Breeding and Market Rabbits
- Breeding and Market Sheep
- Breeding and Market Swine
- Breeding Dogs
- Chickens – Meat and Eggs
- Christmas Trees
- Dairy Cattle
- Dairy Replacement Heifers
- Emu Production
- Field Crop Production
- Firewood Business
- Floral Business
- Fruit Tree Production
- Game Bird Production
- Garden Production
- Greenhouse Production
- Horseshoeing Business
- Hydroponics Production
- Home Animal Care Service
- Llama Production
- Nut Tree Production
- Ostrich Production
- Raising Worms
- Ratite Production
- Turkey Production
- Veal Calves
- Vegetable Crop Production
- Vine Production
- Wildlife Assistant or Field Worker

Acceptable Placement SAE’s:
- Ag Chemical Salesperson
- Ag Equipment Operator
- Ag Writer
- Ag Pest Worker
- Ag Research Lab or Field Assistant
- Ag Water Sample Collector
- Ag Welder
- Ag Worker at Fair
- Conservation Resources Worker
- Dog Kennel Worker
- Farm Worker (Crops or Livestock)
- Feed Store
- Fish Harvester
- Floral Worker
- Food Safety Assistant
- Garden, Lawn or Landscape Worker
- Hatchery Worker
- Horse Stable Worker
- House Plant Care Worker
- Landscape Maintenance Worker
- Meat Cutter/Processor
- Parts Store Worker in Agriculture Business
- Park or Campground Employee
- Pet Store Worker
- Produce Worker in Grocery Store
- Receptionist or Secretary for an Ag Business
- Seed Dealership
- Tractor/Ag Equipment Dealership
- Vegetable Salesperson
- Veterinary Assistant
- Zoo Worker or Volunteer
Unacceptable SAE’s:
Baby Sitting Farm Children
Fast Food Employee
Grocery Store Clerk, Bag Person, Stocker
Janitor in Ag Business
Pets

Recycling Worker or Owner
Restaurant Waitress, Cook, Dishwasher
Swimming Pool Cleaner
Truck Washer
Western Clothes and Boot Store Worker
SUPERVISED EXPERIENCE PROGRAMS
SAE Qualification Questionnaire

ARE THEY/DO THEY:

1. Agricultural related?
2. Individually designed?
3. Written in the career plan?
4. A sequence of planned practical experience?
5. Reviewed annually?
6. Provide real world situations?
7. Related to actual careers?
8. Related to career goal?
9. Develop knowledge, skills, attitudes?
10. Utilizes application of agricultural skills?
11. Additional competencies learned each year?
12. Meet minimum hours outlined in blueprint?
13. Allow for expansion or change?
14. Records kept?
15. Potential for financial return?
16. Supervised by an agriculture teacher?
17. A planned part of the grading system?